



GOVERNOR ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER

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Emergency Medical Services Week

I am pleased to extend warm greetings on the occasion of *Emergency Medical Services Week*.

Emergency medical services personnel are entrusted with the responsibility of providing medical care in urgent situations, and their efforts help prevent loss of life. They work tirelessly to respond with swiftness, professionalism and compassion in the face of crisis.

During *Emergency Medical Services Week*, we work to raise awareness about injury prevention and the use of emergency medical services in the case of an accident or medical emergency.

I commend the Emergency Medical Services Authority for providing valuable leadership in the development and implementation of EMS systems throughout our state.

On behalf of all Californians, I thank you for your outstanding public service and dedication to such a noble profession.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature of Arnold Schwarzenegger in black ink.

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